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Applicant: Larry Wayne Oberley et al.

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Title: REDUCTION OF ANTIOXIDANT ENZYME LEVELS IN TUMOR CELLS
USING ANTISENSE OLIGONUCLEOTIDES

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed on June 18, 2002. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from September 18, 2002 to October 18, 2002.

IN THE DRAWINGS

Corrected drawings are supplied herewith.

Enclosed is a copy of Figure 1 of the drawings showing the following proposed amendment to Figure 1 in red ink.

Figure 1 has been amended to indicate that the nucleic acid sequence given in this Figure corresponds to SEQ ID NO:11 and the amino acid sequence given in this Figure corresponds to SEQ ID NO:12.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the claim set in the appendix entitled Clean Version of Pending Claims for the previously pending claim set. The substitute claim set is intended to reflect cancellation of claims 4, 9 and 10, and amendment of previously pending claims 1-3, 6-8, 18, and 19. The specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following marked up set of claims.